

RALEIGH, SATURDAY, NOV. 27, 1852.

THE PUBLIC LANDS-NAGSHEAD, &c. The public land question has been before the country for years. It has been discussed every where, and presented to public consideration in all its aspects. It is, to say the least, a vexed question; and by many it is regarded as a most difficult one. The policy of the Democratic Republithereof in the Federal Treasury, to be applied to the payment of the public debt, or to meet the current expenses of the common government. This, party; and this policy, we must be permitted to the proceeds of the lands, as such, has ever been made. In 1836, after the public debt had been paid off under Gen. Jackson's Administration, and when the Treasury was full to overflowing, the among the several States according to their Federal population; and of this surplus North Carolina received some fourteen hundred thousand dollars, A portion of the proceeds of the lands was, of course, included in this deposite, but how much no one could tell, as it is impossible, after these proceeds are once paid into the Treasury, to discriminate between them and monies received from other sources. No condition was annexed to this deposite, except that the money should be returned by the States whenever called for by the Federal Government; but it is believed such call will never be made. If it should be, however, the people of the States would soon feel, most sensibly, by immensely increased taxation, what it is to rely on a law.

Federal bounty. that policy which squanders the public lands on terial change. See proceedings. particular States, or which would yield them up, without some fair equivalent, to actual settlers. It must be remembered, however, that these lands are free government are levelling the forests and sub- year. defence; that they need, more than we, the ad- like to see this discourse in print. vantages of good roads, academies, and schools; and such being the case, the government has been uniformly liberal towards them in its legislation, and this liberality has been sanctioned by the old States. But while we are thus liberal towards them we should be just to ourselves; and we have the fullest confidence that Gen. Pierce-whatever combinations may be formed in Congress on the subject-will see to it, both in his recommendations to that body and by his veto, if necessary, that these lands shall not be squandered, but shall be properly disposed of and their proceeds "sacredly applied to the national objects specified in the Constitution." And for the very reason, if for no other, that we repose this confidence in the incoming President, we will suppose no case involving injustice to the old States-no scheme of plunder, designed to enrich one section at the expense of another-"Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof." It may come, but we do not think it will. If it should, we will resist it; and if resistance prove unavailing, we shall then look to the Constitution and the nature of our system of government, and endeavor

to act accordingly.

It will be seen, by reference to the Resolutions of Gen. Saunders, which we publish to-day, that as such, it has strong claims on Congress. Instead of an appropriation of five hundred thousand acres true statement of the case." of land, we should prefer to see an appropriation of five hundred thousand dollars, if necessary; and we would go further than this-we would vote to instruct our Senators and request our Representatives to demand this appropriation of the common government, and to press it until success crowned the effort. We confess we would not log-roll it, as the saying is, for this or any other measure; but as a friend to the improvement, and as one who would see the old State receive what is justly due her from the government, we would advocate the measure on its merits, in full confidence that its merits would, at an early day, ensure the necessary appropriation. But suppose we apply for lands for this purpose, will not those new States which have already received their millions of acres, and which are applying for more, seize upon the application "We learn from a private source, that the Hon. thus made as a justification and endorsement of James C. Dobbin has received the caucus nominaand let us urge the claim until it is heard, heeded, man of his age in the Union." and the appropriation made.

islatures in such stocks as they may direct, and to reasons for this course.

be returned, whenever called for, in such stocks as may have been selected"; and in reply to Coll. The issue of the election was known on the morn-Manual of Roberts on Monday lest Can Sayn ing of the 3d instant; and during that day sufficient gers—Purser Smith Still Excluded—The Difficulty McNeill, of Robeson, on Monday last, Gen. Saunders said he would vote now for such a distribution determine for whom they had cast their votes. But or deposite. The government, it is true, is in debt even now full official returns have been received only thinks this debt can soon be discharged, and that tables are complete we will publish them in detail.

Our readers will find below such results as have the government will not, therefore, need these proceeds for the current expenses. But why not retain them to meet, in part, these expenses, and reduce the tariff-taxes in proportion? Why tax the people with one hand and distribute money to them with the other?

But suppose this deposite should be made, as proposed by Gen. Saunders, and the money invested in Railroad stocks, and the government should call for it-what then? Why, it is to be "returned, whenever called for, in such stocks as may have been selected"; and suppose the Federal government should be paid in Railroad stocks, would not that government thereby become the owner of the Roads? And if so, what could the State say or retary of State of Ohio, received yesterday, informs can party has been to dispose of these lands at fair do in their management? Would not such a polprices to actual settlers, and to place the proceeds icy result in transferring State jurisdiction and State powers to Washington City?

There are other points involved in this question which we should like to notice, but lack of space we say, has been the policy of the Democratic prevents us from doing so. We may have more to say hereafter. Meantime it is but proper in itself add, is founded in principle. No distribution of and but just to Gen. Saunders to add, that we are seeking no controversy with him, nor with any one

else. We have only uttered our honest thoughts -we have but reiterated Democratic principles as we understand them, and by those principles, hapsurplus revenue, as it was called, was deposited pen what may, we expect to stand. Men die, but principles are immortal.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The reader will find in our paper to-day the proceedings of Tuesday and Wednesday. Thursday being Thanksgiving Day, the two Houses did

On Tuesday the Free Suffrage bill passed the Commons, on its third reading, without debate. On the same day the bill providing for a Railroad the State's stock in the Raleigh and Gaston Road friends entertain strong hopes that it will become clusive:

On Wednesday the two Houses voted three We are as much opposed as any one can be to times for United States Senator, without any ma-

THANKSGIVING DAY.

Thursday last was observed throughout this within the limits of new States; that the people of State as a day of solemn public Thanksgiving to these States are composed mainly of our own kin- Almighty God for the numerous mercies and blessdred and blood, who, as pioneers of civilization and ings with which He has crowded and crowned the

duing the continent for us, in some measure, as The places of business in this City were closed. well as for themselves; that, as consumers, they pay and Divine Service was performed in the various tariff-taxes which go to swell the common revenue, Churches. We had the pleasure of listening to a and that, as soldiers in time of war, they contri- most able and impressive discourse by the Rev. bute more than their full number to the common Dr. Lacy, in the Presbyterian Church. We should

IMPORTANT CORRESPONDENCE.

The National Intelligencer of Tuesday last contains several highly interesting papers, affording a full exposition of the overture made by the Administration of President Polk, through General Saunders, to the government of Spain for the pur-

These papers-consisting of a letter from Mr. Buchanan, Secretary of State, to Gen. Saunders, and replies from Gen. S., our Minister at the time at the Court of Spain-were transmitted to Congress by President Fillmore at its last session, in reply to a call for them by the House of Representatives, but they have just now been made public.

We shall publish in our next the letter of Mr. Buchanan, and shall follow it up with the letters of Gen. Saunders.

The Lincolnton Republican, under an editorial headed, "Lincoln and Gaston division line," of the 18th instant, has in it the following "Col. Wheeler, however, gave the bill a manly support. The Register reports him to have said that his colleagues, Lander and Caldwell, had indulged in such faint praise of it that he feared it would be lost." It is due, as well to Mr. Lander that gentleman is of opinion that our Senators and as to Col. Wheeler to correct any erroneous im-Representatives in Congress "ought to apply and pressions that the above extract might create, and vote for an application of five hundred thousand place these gentlemen right before their constituacres of the public lands, or so much thereof as ents. The reporter of the Register, no doubt, unmay be necessary" to open the Inlet at or near intentionally misrepresented what Col. Wheeler Nagshead. This work, it is believed on good au- said upon the subject. In his remarks upon the thority, can be effected; and, when effected, it bill Col. Wheeler stated, "that his colleague furportant portion of this State, but to the commerce ed, would kill the bill by faint praise, but that his of the whole country. It is a national work, and, colleague nearest to him, meaning Mr. Lander, had presented to the House, in his remarks, a fair and

> The Lincolnton Republican publishes the Correspondence between Messrs. Edney, Fagg and others, and in so doing connects William Lander, Esq., one of the Commoners from Lincoln, with parties to this Correspondence. It is but just to Mr. Lander to state that he has had no connection whatever with this Correspondence, and that he is not responsible for it or any portion of it, or for the action of any of those who took part in it. It is also due to Mr. Lander to state, that his votes thus far during the session, have been Democratic; and that he has uniformly stood by his party organization and adhered to its measures, and we have no doubt he will continue to do so.

The Western (Charlotte) Democrat says the very policy which we, of the old States, are all tion for United States Senator. Mr. Dobbin is united in resisting? And will not the old States every way acceptable to the Democracy, and his put in their claim also? And if so, where will it fine talents and brilliant oratory, will reflect credit end? No, if Nagshead is to be opened—and we upon the State, and secure to himself a reputation

Gen. Saunders, it will be seen, also takes ground ed "A Democrat," and one signed "Randolph," in a certain contingency, for "a distribution of the lands," or "a deposite with the States of their was on the subject of the Senatorship, which we must to the Eastern terminus, was referred for settlement to the Eastern terminus, was referred for settlement to the Eastern terminus, was referred for settlement to the Eastern terminus, and Col. W. B. Thompson. lands," or "a deposite with the States of their pro-ceeds"—said resorts with the States of their pro-decline to publish. The authors of these commucceds "—said proceeds " to be invested by the Leg-islatures in such starts to be invested by the Leg-nications will readily perceive and appreciate our

THE ELECTION RETURNS.

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Pierce, Scott,	39,744 39,058
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A telegraphic despatch from the	office of the Se

NEW YORK. Full official returns (excepting New York city) housand three hundred and forty-seven.

Washington Union. In Maassachusetts Scott's majority is 7,460. In Rhode Island Pierce's majority is 1,109.

In Delaware Pierce's majority is 25. In Vermont Scott's majority is 9,129.

In Massachusettes the Hale Electors received 28,023 votes, and in Vermont 8,621 votes. The Webster Electors received 1,670 votes in Massa-

In Georgia Pierce's majority over Scott is about

In Tennessee Scott's majority is about 1,800. Pierce's majority in Virginia is 14,591. Pierce's majority in Alabama is 11,843.

Texas and California, the only States not heard from, are conceded to Pierce and King. This will from Goldsborough to Beaufort, and transferring make the vote in the Electoral College stand 42 for Scott and 254 for Pierce-giving the latter a in aid of the same, passed its second reading in majority of 212 votes. The following table shows Captain Davenport upon the state of affairs at Ha- since our last report. The stocks on hand are light, the Commons. This is an important bill. Its the Electoral majorities from 1828 to 1852, in- vana.

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Democracy has grown as the country has grown: and Gen. Pierce, it will be observed, has a larger majority of Electoral votes for the Presidency than any candidate since the existence of parties commenced. His popular majority is about 200,000. We append a table of the result in detail:

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Maine,		8		8
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Vermont,				5
Massachusetts,				13
Connecticut,		6		
Rhode Island,		4		
New York,		36		
New Jersey,		7 3		
Delaware,		3		
Pennsylvania,		27		
Maryland,		8		
Virginia,		15		
North Carolina,		10	2	
South Carolina,		7		
Georgia,		10		
Florida,		3		
Ohio,		23		
Indiana,		13		
Illinois,		11	-	
Iowa,		4		
Wisconsin,		5		
Michigan,		6	•	
Kentucky,				12
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Alabama,		9		
Louisiana,		6		
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NORTH CAROLINA RAIL ROAD.

We are informed that the instalments called for, previously to the present meeting, amounted to the sum of five hundred thousand dollars, of which individual Stockholders have paid in about the sum of four hundred and fifty-five thousand, leaving only forty-five thousand dollars or thereabours yet to be handed action on the part of the Cuban authori-

The Directors have called for another instalment of ten per cent, and resolved to take immediate and efficient steps to collect from the delinquent Stock-

In July last, the Stockholders in general meeting instructed the Directors to proceed to collect from Stockholders, who should remain in arrears for thirty days from that time, the instalments called for, agreecannot fail to be of benefit not merely to an im- thest off from him, meaning Mr. Caldwell, he fear- ably to the provisions of the charter, and in each case to exact interest on all payments delayed.

The Directors passed a resolution, that they would proceed to sell in the manner pointed out by the charter the stock of delinquent subscribers, who should fail to pay up their instalments already due,

The payment of interest on deferred instalments being much complained of, the Directors passed a resolution that delinquent subscribers might pay the principal, suspending the payment of the interest due until the next general meeting of the Stockholders.

From what we learn, individual Stockholders will

the 8th of December. The faithfulness, industry, and efficiency with which the gentlemen, having this great work in charge, have conducted its affairs, entitle them to all praise. We venture the opinion that in no similar work in persons,) has more promptitude in payments ever been observed. On a call of half a million of dollars, for all to be promptly paid but forty-five thousand dollars, we conceive to be unusual.

The energy, industry, and indomitatble perseverance of our Western friends, manifested in the management and prosecution of this great State improvement, throughout, increases our anxiety to be more closely allied to their, and to have the two extremes of the State united at the earliest day possible.

We are happy to learn that half the grading on the entire line is already completed-that the Bridges are ter once taking him out. under contract and being constructed, and that the work, upon the whole, so far, has been done for less han the original estimates of the Chief Engineer.

We learn that A. T. Jerkins, Esq., of Newbern, think it ought to be-let us demand the money, and position in the Senate, unsurpassed by any tendered his resignation as a Director, which was \$50,000. accepted, and John D. Whitford, Esq., was chosen Company and the Newbern interest with reference

bad health, is recovering.

INTERESTING FROM HAVANA.

Not yet Settled-Further Spanish Threats-the English Fleet, &c.

some sixty millions of dollars; but Gen. Saunders present the actual majorities given; and when the Vork at half-past 4 o'clock yesterday morning, from France. The French Senate had adopted the The U. S. mail steamship Crescent City, Henry firm, and advancing; Baltimore and Philadelphia New Orleans, via Havana, leaving the latter port on Empire by a vote of 86 out of 87. The title is "Einthe afternoon of the 16th instant. She has experien-ced a succession of heavy Northern gales. It will legitimate issue. If issue is wanting he may adopt a be seen that she landed her passengers and mails on successor in the Bonaparte family—none of whom this occasion, though Purser Smith was not allowed can marry without his consent. The people are to to land, and it was declared the steamer would not be allowed to come in again, with him on board. The of November. The Legislature is to meet on the annexed particulars are given by the New York 25th to count the vote. Journal of Commerce, of yesterday:

The Crescent City arrived off the Moro, on the 15th Instant, after sunset, and had to remain outside pression. until the next morning. The Spanish steam frigate Isabel Segundo, which was cruising off the port, spoke the C. C.; and after learning her name and destination, passed on. After entering the port, to which no objection was made, the captain of the port came alongside, and informed Captain Davenport that | Southern Flour at \$4 44 a \$4 62. Wheat and Corn the mails and all persons could land except Purser are less active and less firm.

Upon Capt. Davenport expressing himself pleased at the termination of the difficulties heretofore exist- bbls. at \$5. Wheat has declined; Red sells at 106 ing, the captain of the port assured him that it was to 108 cents; White unchaged; Corn 65c. only for this trip, but should Mr. Smith return in the ship from New York, no communication with the shore would be allowed. Captain D. expressed his regret at this, and remarked that the difficulty was abundance, and the ground is frozen to such an exhave been received. They give Pierce a majority in becoming more complicated by measure, and that tent that the snow will not disappear very soon. the State of sixteen thousand one hundred and sixtyeight votes. Adding his known majority in the city, island, whom the authorities might consider preju-(11,179,) and his total majority is twenty-seven dictal to its tranquility, was not denied, he could not concede the same to the Captain General to prohibit the mails and all passengers, simply because one per-

son on board was obnoxious to his Excellency. told when he left Havana for New Orleans on the strongly condemned by the Government. He has outward trip, that the ship could not be permitted to been removed from the Crescent City and ordered to enter the port on her return if Mr. Smith came in the Vicennes, now fitting out for a three years' cruise her. But it seems the Captain General was induced in the Pacifica to change his mind a few days previous to her arriretary of the Captain General. The letter, together will start early next week. with one from Capt. Davenport to Messrs. Drake & Gen. Shields and half a dozen members of the

Co., will be found below. There were three English war steamers in Havathe result of the Crescent City affair, many stories to take place next Tuesday night. being in circulation about her being fired into, &c. Judge Sharkey, the American Consul, a gentleman Brown, and Hon. Fayette McMullin, of Virginia. who has upon all occasions proved himself worthy of

the high trust reposed in him, called on board the Crescent City and had a long conversation with The passengers and officers of the boat who went

ashore, were treated with the utmost politeness and attention by the Cubans. The following are the letters referred to above:

[TRANSLATION.] POLITICAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

HAVANA Nov. 16th, 1852. Notwithstanding that there remains in full force and vigor, the order of his Excellency the Governor and Captain General, which I communicated to you on the 4th of September last, relative to its being forbidden that Mr. Smith, an employee of the American steamer Crescent City, should return to this Island, and also the entry of said vessel into this port, should she convey him, as the special concession ginia. made by his Excellency on the last voyage of said vessel to New Orleans, and on her return to this port, cents; Western sides, 10 a 101 cents; shoulders 9 a which she has effected to-day, might be interpreted 91 cents; bagged hams, 14 a 16 cts. in a doubtful manner, it being concessions to on special reasons, of which his Excellency the Min- a 51; Roe \$1 00. Mackeral No. 3, \$7 a 71; No. 2, ister Plenipotentiary of her Majesiy at Washington \$111 a 12, No. 1, \$12 50 a 13. Shad-None in has a knowledge, his Excellency instructs me to say market. Halifax Gross Herrings \$4 50, cut \$5 50. to you that in future the said order will be enforced; so that, being informed of this particular, you may communicate the information to whom it may concern, and thereby avoid that, through bad intelligence, per lb.; fresh Roll 23 to 25; Goshen 20 to 24 cents. stock of said delinquent Stockholders for sale and procommunicate the information to whom it may conthird parties be injured. God preserve you many

MARTIN GALIANO. To Messrs. Drake & Co., Consignees of the American steamer Crescent City.

U. S. M. STEAMSHIP CRESCENT CITY, HAVANA, Nov. 16, 1852. Gentlemen :- I am in receipt of your favor of this date, enclosing an official letter from the Secretary of was in hopes this matter was settled. However, I oration from Judge Perley on the 22d December. can assure you that Mr. Smith will return in the which day should be set apart for the purpose. . ship, and the consequences, whatever they may be, The opinion of the Judges of the Superior Court the Spanish authorities will be responsible for. I am, respectfully, your obedient servant.

H. K. DAVENPORT, U. S. N.,

Com'g Crescent City. Messrs. Drake & Co., Havana.

Arrival of the Empire City.
NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 22.—The steamer Empire City, from Havana, arrived here this morning, having left Havana on the 18th instant. The news of the reception of the Crescent City, and the determination of the Captain General not to allow her to en-The Directors of this company adjourned on Fri- ter the port again with Purser Smith on board, has day last, to meet again in this city on the 8th of De- caused much excitement, and disappointed general expectation. The return of the Crescent City to Uraga has pronounced in favor of the plan of Jalisco, excellent stand for the mercantile business. New Orleans, with the account of her visit to Hav- which opposes Arista, and favors the return of Santa ana, will be looked for with interest.

The foregoing news is important. We shall no doubt hear, in a few days, the result of this high-

Purser Smith has solemnly denied that he had any thing to do with the late revolutionary movements in Cuba; but if he had not done so, the course of the Cuban authorities in the premises would have been unjustifiable.

Cuba with much anxiety.

Re Judge Dargan, of Alabama, has resigned his place as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court

The two Houses balloted for United States Senator on Saturday, but failed to make an election. Mr. Dobbin, the Democratic nominee, lacked nine votes of sufficient. The Whigs made no nomination, but scattered their votes on a number of persons, many have paid in their five hundred thousand dollars by of them Democrats. Over twenty different persons were voted for. The object of the Whigs is supposed to be to distract the Demecrats, and finally elect a Whig, or a Democrat of their own choice. In this they will certainly fail of success. Let the Democrats adhere to their nomination with the tethis country, (resting on the subscriptions of so many nacity of the Whigs four years since, and a like re-Golds. Rep. & Pat. sult will attend them.

> The Elizabeth City (N. C.) Pioneer of the 9th inst., referring to the extraordinary exertions made by the Whigs on the day of election, relates the following incident: Too Ban. The Whigs even went into our jail on

Tuesday last to get a poor devil out to vote for Scott that was bad enough. But the worst is yet to the happiest out of the loveliest natures on earth come—they put him back again as soon as he had vo- Their reward is constant and abundant. Heaven ted! We think they might have let him stay out af- multiply their number and increase their joys!

NORTH CAROLINA COAL FIELDS. A letter from a Wilmington Herald, announces the sale of one-half Wilmington Herald, announces the sale of one-half of the Taylor Coal Mine, by Messrs. Gilmer, Waddel & Co., to a Northern company, for the sum of Virginia, for the less of his slaves.

to fill the vacancy. The difficulty between the isville, a few days ago, contracted for 5,000 Ken- says it has the very best authority for saying there is tucky Hogs at \$4 per cwt. At Danville, Ky., pri- no foundation for the statement going the rounds of ces have gone up from \$3 75 to \$4. At Huntsville, the press, purporting to be an extract from a Madrid letter, that the American Minister to Spain had lated by renewed the offer of 180,000 duros—as before of \$125,00, for a term of 5 months.

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by the 15th of December.

Later from Europe. NEW YORK, Nov. 23. The steamer Hermann has arrived with Liverpool dates to the 9th inst. She brings the following as the state of the market at the

date of her sailing. Cotton dull and declined. Sales for three days amounted to 15,000 bales. Breadstuffs

Louis Napoleon has accepted the honors voted him.

in an address which had created an unfavorable im-ENGLAND. Nothing important from England.

Russia. Prince De Leutchenburg died at St. Petersburg on the 25th of October.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23. Sales of 14,000 bbls.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 23. Flour is dull; sales of 200

Snow at Syracuse. SYRACUSE, Nov. 22. Snow fell here to-day in

Removal of Davenport from the Command of the Crescent City-Arrangements for Distributing the President's Message, &c ..

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23d. The course recently pursued at Havana by passed midshipman Daven-To this no reply was made. Capt. Davenport was port, acting commander of the Crescent City, is

A special meeting of the Cabinet was held to-day. val, in consideration that the voyage would not be perhaps about the Crescent City affair, but more probcompleted until her return to New York, and that ably respecting the President's message. Some 20 no change could take place in officers before that time. special messengers have been detailed from the Post-On the eve of sailing, Capt. Davenport received a office Department to deposit the message with the note from Mesers. Drake & Co., enclosing a copy of Postmasters in the principal cities and towns through-one to them from Martin Galiano, the political Sec- out the United States, as was done last year. They

House arrived to day.

The Democracy of Washington are arranging a na, and the report was that they were waiting to see sumptuous jubilee dinner at the United States Hotel,

Amoug the arrivals to-night are Col. Weller, Gov. RICHMOND, VA., November 22, 1852.

Tobacco. We have no change to notice in prices of the place. and the breaks very small. N. M. MARTIN & CO.
Sales of tobacco by N. M. Martin & Co: 16 hhds. Nathaniel Lea, at \$4 60, 5, 5 20, 6 25, 6 75, 6 87 and 7; 2 at 7 25 and 7 50; 5 at 7 75 and 1 at 8 50;

3 hhds. Dr. C. H. Jordan, at 6, 6 50 and 9 62; hhds. A. Alston, at 9 50; 12 hhds. at 4 25, 4 50, 4 75, 5 40, 6, 6 25, 6 50, 6 87, 3 at 7, 8 50 and 11; 1 hhd. Howard & Fitts, \$8. WHEAT-Red 110 cts.; white 115 cents. FLOUR-Demand good, with sales at \$5. Conn-We note sales at 671 to 75 cents.

T. J. PEYTON. CORN MEAL-75 to 80 cents per bushel. OATS-40 to 45 cents per bushel, for ordinary Vir-EDWIN WORTHAM.

FISH-Herrings, No. 1 Cut \$7 a 2

PLASTER-Sales at \$4 50 on wharf. LIME-Salesa t Wharf \$1 20; Store \$1 374. Guano-Little or none in market; \$52. COTTON AND COTTON YARNS. Thetrade in cotton here is limited. The quotations are 101 to 11

cts. Cotton Yarns 18 cts. per lb. New Hampshire Legislature and the late Daniel Webster-The Liquor Law. CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 19. The House of Repre

sentatives, to-day, unanimously passed resolutions to the Captain General, by which I learn that this ship clothe the State House in mourning in respect to the will not be permitted to enter this port on her return memory of Daniel Webster, to attend the funeral cerefrom New York, should Mr. Smith be on board. I monies in Boston on the 30th, and to have a funeral

on the proposed new liquor law resembling that of Maine was read in the Senate chamber to-day. The Judges take the ground that the law conflicts both with the State and the United States constitution.

Concord, Nov. 20 .- The legislature has passed a body to Boston, to attend the obsequies of Daniel Webster. The invitation has been accepted.

Lote and Important from Mexico. NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 20. Later dates from Mexi-

For the Standard.

NORMAL COLLEGE.

A Bill is now before the Legislature to increase the resources of the above Institution. Normal Col-

lege belongs to no sect or section, but is designed to promote the interest of the great middle class of society. Its ample instruction, healthy and moral location, and its cheapness, commend it to the careful well as finish. The proposed Board of Trustees is well upon the interests of North Carolina.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Enquirer.] WASHINGTON, Nov. 18, 1852.

Our news this morning from the Old North State is, that Hon. James C. Dobbin is the candidate of the Democratic party, for a seat in the United States Senate, vice Mangum; and it is received with the highest satisfaction. His election will be hailed with delight. Mr. Dobbin will do honor to North Carolina, and be an able supporter of the new administration, just decreed so emphatically by the People. It will be peculiarly appropriate to send Mr. Dobbin to the Senate, for he was of the foremost who nominated Frank Pierce for the Presidency. We were present in the Baltimore Convention, and know that Dobbin's two minutes speech, in casting the electoral vote of North Carolina, did the work!

A NOBLE HEART. In direct contrast to the majority of the world, there are some hearts which are really lofty, brave and heroic. All are not selfish and indifferent-beautiful exceptions exist of those who find more pleasure in assisting the purposes and forwarding the desires of others, than in giving themselves up to luxury and self-indulgence. Such are Buffalo Express.

THE LEMMON INDEMNITY FUNDA We learn from gentleman in the county of Chatham, N. C., to the the New York Journal of Commerce that the sum of

WESTERN HOG TRADE. A packing house of Lou- PURCHASE OF CUBA. The National Intelligencer The Lynchburg and Tennessee rail road is now fered by the Government under President Polk—as For a circular containing full informat Col. Jefferson Davis, who has been in very completed to Big Lick, and will be finished to Salem a price for the sale of the Island of Cuba. No such the Rector. Rich. Enq. offer has been made by the present administration. Nov. 20, 1852.

Opened this Morning, If HARDING'S, three dozen more of th ose fine A French Beaver Over Coats, the style of have been so much admired.

November 24th, 1852. Fancy Cloth Sack Frocks.

E have just received this morning four dozen more of those handsome business Cloth Coats, o

colors and sizes-made up in our usual good style HARDING'S CLOTHING EMPORIUM. November 24th, 1852. NOTICE. THERE will be a meeting of the incorporators of the "Raleigh Savings Institution" held at the Odd

SEATON GALES, C. B. ROOT, November 28d, 1852.

Fellows Hall on Saturday night, the 27th instant, at 8

Marine & Pocket Chronometers, Duplex and Repeating Watches.

(By Appointment to the Admiralty.)

WILLIAM DIXON,

CHRONOMETER AND WATCH MANUFACTURER, 45 King Square, Goswell Road, London. THIS certifies that the accompanying Watch No. 14713, is warranted by me to be of my Manufacture, and no Watch with my name upon it, is genuine, unless accompanied by a Certificate, bearing my signature.

the satisfaction of the purchaser. These Watches have a high reputation in Europe and America as superior time pieces. Imported and for

I guarantee the Watch No. 14713 to keep time to

PALMER & RAMSAY.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

Raleigh, Nov. 15th, 1852.

THE Subscribers, on the 28th of December, at the Court House in Oxford, will positively sell to the highest bidder the valuable HOUSE AND LOT once owned by Joseph Littlejohn, Sr., in the town of Oxford, now belonging to the Estate of the late Robert Taylor, dee'd, on a credit of one and two years with interest from date of sale, in bonds of approved surety. This property contains 104 acres of land, three fourths of which are in woods, a fine two story dwelling house, having eight rooms, with fire places, a garret with three rooms and a cellar with four room, all well finished off, an entry with a passage with all necessary out houses; and situated on a high eminence half a mile from the Court House nildst a large grove of fine oaks commanding a view of town in front, with a very fine spring on the premises as near the house as could be desired. This situation is admirably suited to those who desire to be convenient to the Male and Female Schools and business

Those desiring information are referred to Maj. C. L. Hinton, of Raleigh, Gen. Joseph B. Littlejohn, of Franklin, Richard Smith, Esq., of Caswell, Robt. B. Gilliam, Esq., of Oxford, Thomas Speller, Esq., of Bertie, Thomas Alston, Esq. of Warren, Col. R. O. Britten, of Petersburg, Dr. Thos. Gilliam, of Fayetteville. By the Executors of

ROB'T. TAYLOR, Dec'd. Oxford, Nov. 9, 1852.

Office N. C. Railroad Company, November 19, 1852. WHEREAS, the Stockholders of the North Carolina Railroad Company, at their last general meet-BACON—Smithfield and Todd's hog round, 11½ ing, passed the following order, viz:

ents; Western sides, 10 a 10½ cents; shoulders 9 a

dets of this Company as have paid their subscriptions

dets of this Company as have paid their subscriptions either in money or by work, the amount due by such

time, sha'lbe forthwith collected if practicable, and that in all such cases, interest be rigidly exacted. Therefore Resolved, That whenever the instalments any stock, shall remain unpaid on the 1st day of Decemceed to sell said stock for cash.

On motion, Resolved, That an instalment of 10 per cent, on the capital stock of the Company be called in and made payable on or before the 20th of December next, and if not paid by that time, then to draw interest. Copied from the proceedings of the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Railroad Company. CYRUS P. MENDENHALL,

Stockholders will bear in mind the above call makes ne seventh instalment. They can have an opportunity of paying their instalments on the 8th and 9th days of

Valuable Property for Sale in Raleigh. THAT subscribers will sell, on the premises, on the 18th of December next, two LOTS, with all the improvements thereon, situated on Hillsborough street, just outside the corporation limits, adjoining the Rov. Dr. Mason, and in front of Mr. Courts, and within a few hundred yards of St. Mary's. One of the lots has a new and well constructed and well built two story Dwelling resolution inviting Gen. Pierce to accompany that House, with three rooms below and three rooms above, all with good fire-places; a two-story Kitchen, with four rooms with fire-places in each room-together with all the necessary outhouses. Also, a highly improved Gardan, of three-fourths of an acre.

The other lot adjoining (on the corner.) has a Store and Warehouse, Dwelling House, Kitchen, Stable and co have been received here, by which we learn that Carriage house, and a first rate well of water. It is an This property is as desirable as any about the City of

Terms made known on day of sale. JOHN BUFFALOE. J. W. B. WATSON, Ex'r. of J. O. WATSON, dec'd.

November 18th, 1852.

SALE OF LAND. AVING qualified as Executor of Peter Argrington, deceased, I shall offer for sale to the consideration of our law-makers, and to the unquali-fied approbation of all who delight in substance as tract of Land, lying in Franklin county, near Cedar Rock, known as the Eben Nelm's tract, containing The country will await further intelligence from one of distinguished ability, and will doubtles build up an institution of no mean ability, one that will tell a comfortable dwelling House and all necessary out buildings; with a never failing spring of water; and is well adapted to the growth of corn, wheat and tobacco. Those wishing to purchase a desirable residence, situated near Cedar Rock Male Academy, would do well to examine the premises before the day of sale. Terms made known on day of sale. W. D. Coppedge, Esq. and Maj. J. J. Thomas may be referred to, who are well acquainted with the land, and will give any information

> THOMAS C. ARRINGTON, Executor. November 15th, 1852.

A GOOD CHANCE. AVANS & COOKE have on hand a fine lot of Evans & Cooke have on hand a h Kich Brocade col'd Silks, French Satin DeChene, Embroidered Robes,

Alboniso dc. French Cushmeres & DeLianes, All other goods at very low prices, Received to-day Black Silks, Cheap Delanes, English Merinos, Men's wear. Clothing and Shoe, which will be sold cheap. Call on us at the old Stand, No 29, Cheap Side. Raleigh, Nov. 24th, 1852. Register, Weekly Post and Spirit of the Age copy.

OXFORD MALE ACADEMY. J. H. HORNER, Principal.

T. J. HORNER, Assistant. THE next session of this School will commence the let Monday in January. The Principal is prepared accommodate ten or twelve boarders at \$9 per month. Boys boarding in the village will be visited at their rooms

every evening by the principal or his assistant. T. H. WILLIE, Sec'y. Oxford, Granville, Nov. 16, 1852.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

RALEIGH, N. C. HE 21st term of this School will commence on the 6th of January, 1853. The expense of the board of a pupil, with tuition in English, French, and Music, is

ALDERT SMEDES.